

RIGHT :::
SPECIALISTS
IN FURNISHING
DECORATING
10 MAGNOLIA AVENUE

DR. BOHANNON'S MEDICAL & SURGICAL
First Avenue, Daytona, Fla.
Twenty-six large, airy rooms, newly
furnished and fitted throughout with
the best modern conveniences. Thorough
ly sanitary operation room on second
floor. For terms address
Dr. C. C. BOHANNON, M. D.
Phone 181

RIGHT GOODS AT
RIGHT PRICES
Disposition to Treat You Right.
Let Us Be Your Jewelers.
L. H. ROWE & CO.

Dainty
CHRISTMAS STATIONERY
in the new Paris tint.
The Original \$1.50 Novel Selling
for 60c. at
CLARK'S BOOK-STORE

RACE; CALLED DOWN.

SUPPRESSED
CAUSES RACE TO END.

MAJOR GENERAL WOOD IS BEING
SEVERELY CRITICIZED AND
HOBSON BLAMED FOR START-
ING THE TROUBLE.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 17.—A wide
trail of discord has been left in the
administration ranks as a result of
the suppressed "war scare" report
of Secretary of War Dickinson.
President Taft is in a rage about
the matter and has "called down" Secretaries Dickinson, who, it is said,
may resign as a result. Major General
Wood is also severely criticized
for his share in the fiasco and the
relations between the White House
and the war department have been
severely strained.

Congressman Hobson, of Alabama,
is being blamed for the whole
trouble by the administration, which
overlooks the fact that they are
others even more radical than the
representative from Alabama.
Developments are being closely
watched by all members of Congress.

THREE BROTHERS KILLED IN FIERCE FAMILY FIGHT.

TRouble AMONG RELATIVES IN
ALABAMA FAMILY IS SAID TO
HAVE BEEN STARTED BY WIFE
OF ONE OF DEAD.

HEPLIN, Ala., Dec. 17.—Three
brothers, Whack, Richard and Alf
Benfield, were killed in a family fight
at Hopewell, Cleburne county, 20
miles distant from this place, last
night. It is reported that the
trouble was started by the wife of
one of the dead brothers. The county
sheriff started for the scene
early this morning.

ONE MAN IS FOUND GUILTY ON MANSLAUGHTER CHARGE.

END OF TRIAL IN OHIO FOR
DEATH OF PRIVATE DETECTIVE
WHO WAS LYNCHED SEVERAL
MONTHS AGO.

NEWARK, Ohio, Dec. 17.—Manella
Wright was today found guilty of
manslaughter for the killing of Carl
Ehrington, a private detective several
months ago. Ehrington was
gathering evidence against surepions.
He was arrested, the jail stormed and
he was taken out and lynched by a
mob.

FIGHT WITH TRIBESMEN;
THOUSAND ARE KILLED.

CONSTANTINOPLE, Dec. 17.—In a
battle between Turkish troops and
Bedouins in Syria, which has been
continued since yesterday, it is reported
that 4,000 of the tribesmen
have been killed.

Hankins says:
SEE OUR DISPLAY OF
29c Candy
On Sale Saturday and Sunday
Only.

Don't Fail to Take a Box Home.
NICE AND FRESH.

HANKINS, The Druggist,
AT THE PLACE
Where Volusia Meets Beach.
Telephone 68

LOCOMOTIVE EXPLODES;
FIREMAN MEETS DEATH.
JERSEY CITY, N. J., Dec. 17.—A
huge camel-back locomotive exploded
at Crash Hill today and Fireman Howey
was killed instantly. The passengers
on the train were thrown
into a panic, but none were injured.
The explosion is said to have been
caused by a frozen steam pipe.

EMPEROR
PREACHES
TEMPERANCE.

ESTABLISHES MILK STATION
FOR WORKMEN AND TOURISTS.

MILK FROM THE ROYAL HERDS
TO BE FURNISHED AT COST
PRICE TO ALL WHO CARE TO
DRINK IT.

BERLIN, Dec. 17.—There is no
end to the surprises which the
Kaiser gives his beloved subjects,
whom he always expects to be interested
in the same subjects which are
filled in his own mind, at this particular
time.

Just now it is temperance, and to
show his practical interest in the
cause, the Kaiser has established a
milk ration at his model farm and
pottery works at Cadinen for the
accommodation of working men passing
to and from their work, as well as
for the benefit of the numerous tourists
who visit the town. Milk will
be supplied at cost price from the
royal herds. Any profit, which un-
wittingly results, will be turned over
to the Prussian State foundling
home.

The Kaiser never loses an opportunity
to preach temperance. There
is, of course, no truth in the statements
that the Emperor himself is
a total abstainer. He has always
drunk in moderation, and still does
so, although he has accustomed himself
to imbibing less than he did as a
younger man. His bosom friend,
Prince Max Egen zu Furstenberg,
advertises on every bottle of beer
produced at the princely brewery in
Danau-Eschingen, that it is the
"table beverage of His Majesty, the
German Emperor and King of Prussia."

RACE TIPSTER IS FINED;
JUDGE SOAKS HIM \$1,250.

MAN AT JACKSONVILLE CLAIMED
HE WOULD GIVE INFORMATION
AS TO WINNER OF RACE

TEH FEBRUARY 17.

JACKSONVILLE, Dec. 17.—With-
drawing his plea of not guilty of
using the United States mails to
defraud and entering as a substitute
a plea of nolo contendere, Walter A.
Woolf, the race horse "tipster," was
fined \$1,000 and costs, amounting to
\$1,250, in the United States court
here yesterday. The fine and costs
were both promptly paid.

The indictment against Woolf,
which was returned by the grand
jury last winter was to the effect
that he had devised a scheme to de-
fraud divers persons by represent-
ing in letters and circulars that he
would leave Jacksonville February 12
for Chicago to place a \$5,000 wager
for the owner of a race horse which
would start in the race February 17.
The letters sent out by Woolf sug-
gested to his correspondents that the
should send him at Chicago deposits
of \$2 or \$5 and agree to pay the
balance when he furnished the name
of the sixth winning race horse.

CHEER UP, MR. NEWLYWED!

Help HER learn to cook by purchas-
ing a COFFEE PERCOLATOR
that cannot spoil the coffee. . . .

GRUBER-MORRIS HARDWARE CO.

"If You Don't Trade With Us We Both Lose Money."

TROUBLE THREATENS STEAMSHIPS.

LONGSHOREMEN MAY STRIKE;
ULTIMATUM IS DELIVERED.

MUST HAVE MORE PAY BY FIRST
OF JANUARY OR NOBODY
WORKS AND TRANS-ATLANTIC
TRAFFIC STOPS.

NEW YORK, Dec. 17.—All trans-
atlantic steamship lines are menaced
by a strike which would practically
tie up all ocean traffic.

The longshoremen have delivered
an ultimatum demanding more pay
and threatening to quit January 1 if
their demands are not granted.

The steamship companies are pre-
paring for trouble, which indicates
the demands of the men will be ig-
nored.

LORIMER IS CLEARED;

NO PROOFS PRESENTED.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 17.—The Sen-
ate committee on privileges and elec-
tions held a meeting today to con-
sider the report on the charges
against Senator Lorimer of Illinois.
Great secrecy was maintained, but
it is generally understood that Senator
Lorimer was cleared on the
grounds of no proof.

TAFT APPOINTS NEGRO
COLLECTOR IN HAWAII.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 17.—President
Taft today nominated Charles Cot-
terill, a negro of Toledo, to be col-
lector of internal revenue in the
Hawaiian Islands.



We propose that you give us a
trial the next time you need groceries.
We will give you such genuine
satisfaction that we will be awarded
with your future patronage. You
can't miss satisfaction here, because
both quality and economy are cer-
tainities.

CONRAD GROCERY
COMPANY

PHONE 611.



Daytona Lodge
No. 1141

B.P.O.E.

Meets Every Tuesday

Evening. Visiting
Members Invited.

T. E. Fitzgerald, E. R.

Geo. F. Crouch, Sec.

INJURED IN COLLISION WITH CAR

BICYCLE RIDER RUN
DOWN BY AUTOMOBILE.

A STAPLES THROWN FROM HIS
WHEEL AND BADLY BRUISED
WHILE RIDING FROM IVY LANE
THIS AFTERNOON.

A Staples, senior member of the
firm of Staples & Cutten, was run
down shortly after midday by a
colored man driving an automobile,
just as he was riding out of Ivy
Lane in Beach street on his way
from his home to the office of the
firm.

The car turned into Ivy Lane at
a high rate of speed. The driver
blew his horn as soon as he saw Mr.
Staples but he was then only fifteen
or twenty feet distant.

Mr. Staples tried to avoid him by
dodging across the lane but the wire
fence protecting the new cement side-
wall along Anthony Brothers' building
prevented his escape and the car
struck him throwing him to the
ground and wrecking his bicycle.

Fortunately Mr. Staples escaped
serious injury, but was badly bruised
and shaken, his worst hurt being by
the spring of the auto striking him
in the abdomen leaving a bad bruise
and soreness.

COALITION STILL LEADS
IN ENGLISH ELECTIONS.

LONDON, Dec. 17.—At noon today
the election returns show the govern-
ment coalition is still in the lead,
with a total of 114.

REBELS WIN ANOTHER
BATTLE WITH FEDERALS.

EL PASO, Tex., Dec. 17.—The Mex-
ican Federal troops suffered another
defeat at Haciendita, Chihuahua, just
across the Rio Grande river from
Marfa, Texas, and a large number
of the regulars were killed.

HUMAN CORPSES AS TARGETS
USED BY ARMY IN GERMANY.

STICK UP WHOLE ARMIES OF
DEAD MEN AND WOMEN ON
FIELDS TO SEE HOW FAR THE
BULLETS PENETRATE.

BERLIN, Dec. 17.—May the
corpses of human beings be used
for experiments in the penetration of
rifle bullets? This question is being
debated as the result of revelations
that the dead bodies of paupers,
criminals, poor hospital patients, etc.,
are given to the German military auth-
orities for experimental purposes.
Whole armies of dead men and
women have, on occasion, been stuck up
on manoeuvre fields to ascertain how
bullets penetrate them at a distance.
Many maintain that his practice is
sacrilegious, in as much as it dis-
turb the dead when they should
be lying buried. An agitation is
being organized, and the aid of Pro-
testant pastors, Catholic priests and
Jewish rabbis is invoked to combat
the military men on this point.

These revelations produced further
that live animals are also used for
the same kind of experiments, and
this discovery has mobilized another
section of humanitarians against the
military authorities.

MEXICAN REBELS GAMING; GUERRERE NOT CAPTURED.

AMBASSADOR WILSON SAYS
MOVEMENT IS SPREADING.

FEDERALS DEFEATED BY REV-
OLUTIONISTS AT LAJUNTA, WITH
SEVERAL HUNDRED KILLED OR
CAPTURED.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 17.—Ambas-
sador Wilson, of Mexico, telegraphed
to the state department today that the
recent report that Guerrere in Chihuahua,
had been captured by Mexican
government troops, is untrue. The revolutionists still
control Guerrere and Ambassador Wilson
says the revolt is spreading in Northern Mexico.

A report has also been received
confirming the defeat of the federales
by the revolutionists at LaJunta,
where a thousand regulars were am-
bushed and more than 200 killed or
wounded and 150 taken prisoners.

LARGE HOTEL IS BURNED;
TWO FIREMEN ARE KILLED.

GUESTS MAKE ESCAPE FROM
HOSTELRY IN ELIZABETH BY
JUMPING FROM WINDOWS IN
TO BLANKETS.

ELIZABETH, N. J., Dec. 17.—The
Hotel Hungaria was burned today.
Valentine Bartholy and William Mc-
Laughlin, firemen, were killed in
fighting the flames. Men, women
and children were rescued from the
burning building by leaping from win-
dows in blankets held by firemen
in the streets below. The loss will
amount to about \$60,000.

WITH BOTH LEGS BROKEN
MAN DIES OF STARVATION.

INSTRUCTOR TRIES TO CLIMB A
MOUNTAIN PEAK ALONE AND
HIS BODY IS FOUND SEVERAL
WEEKS AFTERWARD.

VIENNA, Dec. 17.—Prof. Oskar
Mahler, of the Academy of Iglo, in
Hungary, has met with a terrible
death in the Tatra mountains.
October 23 he started to climb the
Baranagostor peak alone, despite the
warnings that a guide was necessary.
He never returned, and though search
parties were sent out no trace of him
was found. Only recently a party of
climbers discovered his body terribly
enraged with both legs broken,
in a shelter hut some distance
from the peak.

The professor had evidently lost his
way and broken his legs in a fall
among the rocks. Despite his terrible
injuries he must have dragged himself
to the shelter hut and there
been starved to death.

Mrs. Grover Gwinnett went to Port
Orange yesterday afternoon to visit
her parents. She expected to return
today.

CHURCH, Druggist
PHONE 37
Beach Street
Daytona, Florida.
Well's Food for the Baby.

In Our
Toilet Goods
Department

will be found some very attractive Xmas
gifts, such as Silk and Creton Tourist
Cases, matched celluloid Baby Sets, Mir-
rors for ladies and gents, and the latest
designs in Hair Brushes.

Church

By L. C. DEMAREE.

One of Daytona's crowning glories is her incomparable beach. No one who has ever set foot upon its smooth, packed sands; no one who ever pedaled a bicycle over its expanses; no one who ever drove a prancing pair of horses and listened to the popping of their steel shoes upon its asphaltum-like face; no one who ever steered a high-power automobile down the broad stretch of wave-washed and surf-packed sand but realized that it is a world beater, a world-wonder. Go stand upon this wide speedway and see the happy souls flit by in joyous mood, and answer whether this is not one of the seven modern wonders.

The Placid, Pellucid Halifax River.

Where think you is water with more picturesque surroundings? Nearly a mile wide, fringed with tropical vegetation, artistic cottages with roomy verandas looking out upon her bosom gamey food fishes in countless numbers beckoning, as it were, to those with rod and reel; her bosom flecked with duck and coot and snowy-winged sea birds, which sit about as if for the sport of bobbing upon the waves; watch that lumberly old white headed pelican pouch a fat mullet, and that fish hawk struggling upward with his floundering load he snatched from the water.

See the beautiful launches, spick and span, with hampers and lockers bulging with refreshments, both solid and liquid, ready for a cruise upon the beautiful surface. Take out your field glass and sweep the river from Ormond bridge to Ponce Park light house, then say whether the Halifax isn't a thing of beauty and a joy forever, and one of the modern wonders.

The Enchantingly Picturesque Ridge-wood.

Ridgewood avenue is upon the crest of a broad ridge, straight as the crow flies and the wide spreading branches of the heavy-trunked live oaks extend their giant arms across the magnificent vista, forming an arch, and from these extended arms great festoons of Spanish moss sway as the trade winds from the tropic seas fan them. Looking straight ahead down this white shell street one has the impression of a fairy path with silken draperies, but as you move along and cast an eye first to the right and then to the left you see distinguished cottage homes in the most delightful settings.

See the glistening leaf of the grand magnolia which nature has varnished as no artist's brush ever could; and the cabbage palms with their burdens of showy fruit and swaying palms; see the lovely holly with its exquisite berries; see the climbing vines run riot in the trees; see the cypress forms which gain a foothold on the great oaks and stately palms, and surely you will join in the chorus and say that this is a world wonder for beauty.

Surpassing Beauty of Our Cottage Homes.

No one of Daytona's attractions, perhaps, commands more nearly universal attention and praise than does the artistic cottages. The owners of these charming villas hail from every corner of the country and they bring their own architectural plans and build upon them, and, as the architecture of one section of the country differs from the architecture of another so do our homes differ in outward appearance and structural beauty from one another. There are no monotonous rows of strikingly similar buildings but the eye, as it sweeps by, is treated to a kaleidoscopic change which keeps the mind wondering, "What next?"

It is not only the exterior of many of these homes which rivets attention; within they are models of convenience, and the finishing and furnishing give evidence of the elegance and cultivation of those who worked it all out. Indeed, it is the interior arrangement and artistic furnishing and shading, more than the exterior appearance that gives a surpassing charm to Daytona homes. This feature justly merits prominence as another wonder.

Streets and Pavements the Most and Best.

Why the Architect of the Universe chose to give Daytona the most admirable, the most picturesque natural setting of all the cities of the South is not revealed, but that such is a

BUSINESS AND PROFESSIONAL ADVERTISEMENTS

E. S. HALL
Architect and Builder
No. 319 Palmetto Ave.
DAYTONA, FLA.

W. C. CHOWNING, M. D.
General Medicine and
Obstetrics
Office Hours: 1:30 to 3:30, 7 to 8 p.m.
Over Kodak Place. Phone 39.

D. D. & C. M. ROGERS
Civil Engineers
DAYTONA, FLA.
Established 1875.

E. L. STEWART
Physician and Surgeon
Special attention to diseases of the
Eye, Ear, Throat and Nose. Office
and residence, Magnolia Avenue, 3rd
door west of P. O. telephone 82.
Office hours: 9 a.m. to 9 p.m.

DR. F. H. HOUGHTON
Dentist
PHONE 32 West End South Bridge

T. E. Fitzgerald E. F. Oates
FITZGERALD & OATES
Attorneys and Counsellors at Law
Special Facilities for Examining
and Perfecting Title
Office in Conrad Building. Phone 12.

DR. J. P. ESCH
Physician and Surgeon
Peninsula Drive, fifth house south of
M. E. Church. Office hours 12 to 2 p.m.,
6 to 7 p.m. Phone 180, DAYTONA
BEACH.

LADAS' POOL PARLOR
NOW OPEN.

Clean and Warm and
A Good Place to Rest
Play Pool Now
Checks Given

Myrtle Ave. and Beach St.

STEAMERS
Uncle Sam and
Cherokee

FOR THE FAMOUS

Tomoka
River

Every Tuesday and Saturday in December.

INLET AND
NEW SMYRNA

Every Friday in December.

Leaves Ferry Dock at 9 a.m.
L. E. ELLENWOOD, Mgr.

fact must be apparent to the most superficial observer. With such lavish wealth of natural beauty it became an easy thing for the hand of man to give the finishing touches which have wrought out the colors and outlines of the big picture.

Man did all this in the laying out of the streets with their wide margins of parkage. The entire city becomes a great park, with driveways intersecting, miles upon miles of driveways so good as to attract motorists from all over the continent.

And as for the pavements, pavements that look and act like granite—where else between the eastern and western seas are so many miles in proportion to inhabitants? The pavement question stands with the street as one of the chief drawing cards. Till some unheard of place reports, more and better, Daytona throws down the gauntlet to the world.

Squirrels, Flowers, Birds and Fruit. Whatever one's shortcomings and however indifferent or even callous one may be to many things, the mere mention of "flowers and squirrels, birds and fruits" will send a thrill that is reflected in distended pupils and pricked ears.

For every visitor with a spare gobber there is a bunny ready to come and accept your gift. He will sit bolt upright and know into the meat, casting furtive, saucy glances at you meanwhile.

Flowers. Usually fresh and blooming the year 'round, you are reminded of Goldsmith's couplet where Smiling spring its earliest visit paid And summer's lingering blossoms are delayed.

In one yard roses of variegated hues predominate; another household has a penchant for the poinsettia and the premises are afame; another is hidden in a jungle of tall cane. Variety is the spice of life and here is where you find it.

The birds flit in, and with their joyous notes help to give fullness and symmetry to the picture.

As for fruits, choice citrus fruits, Daytona yields the palm to none for quality and quantity per acre. There are scores of citrus groves in proximity to the city, branches bending to the earth with their burdens of luscious golden globes, which for beauty, proflixcity and all desirable qualities would truly astonish you.

The Fastest Autos and The Finest Out.

The seventh world wonder, do you ask? Come, whether from Missouri or from Maine, from Kalamazoo or Timbuctoo, and you will be "shown." Here is where the world's record for speed is broken with every recurring season. Autos, the biggest, the fastest, and the finest are on daily parade and the big show is as free as the pure artesian water from the thousands of flowing wells. It is a continuous show with a constantly shifting scene.

Everything goes, from a 2-horse power up to a 200-horse power, and all degrees of speed from a canter to a two-mile-a-minute clip. You will probably catch the spirit, when you do the roads and the beach are yours. The Florida sunshine is free, the balmy ocean breezes are free, the birds and squirrels and flowers are free, the sparkling fountain water is free and you will have to go down into your wallet only for coin for auto, and bed and board.

This is no fanciful picture; it's all here. It is driving other thousands and holding them enthralled, it will charm and hold you. Come and see.

A Queer Thing About July. How we came to pronounce July as we do now with the accent on the second syllable is one of the unsolved mysteries of speech. Named, of course, after Julius Caesar, it should really be pronounced to rhyme with "duly," and so our forefathers actually did pronounce it. Spenser, for instance, has the line, "Then came hot July boiling like to fire," and even so late as Johnson's time the accent was still on the "Ju." It is one of many words which would startle those ancestors of ours, spoken as we speak them now.—London Chronicle.

Balanced. "Have you heard that Long Jim has run away with Jack Hammond's wife?"

"Confound it, Long Jim owed me five pounds!"

"Poor old Jack Hammond was so upset he has committed suicide."

"Then I come out square. I owed Jack Hammond five pounds."—London M. A. P.

Volusia County Abstract Co.

Bert Fish, President

Orly D. Landis, Secretary and Treasurer

Abstracts Furnished

Perfected and Insured

Maps, Plans and

Blueprints Supplied

DELAND, FLA.

BOND LUMBER COMPANY

Manufacturers of

LUMBER

LATH

SHINGLES

MOULDINGS

Agents:

Masury's Paints

Paroid Roofing

W. W. Gandy

Eldorado Plaster

Georgia Clay Brick

Bond Sand Brick

DELAND, FLA.

Nine houses of worship in

DeLand is a church-going

city. Baptists, Episcopalians,

Methodists (Northern and Southern),

Presbyterians, Christians and

besides colored Baptists and

Methodists, are represented.

The graded school system

years' course, and the buildings

if occupied is nearly

throughout, and is one of the

best equipped and best equipped

schools in the State.

The trip from Daytona to DeLand

is made by automobile in a little

over an hour, and there are

pretty drives in the vicinity of the

county site. A good road leads

to DeLand Springs, five miles, a

spot, where 500,000 gallons

bubble from the earth every

From DeLand automobile

to Osteen, 16 miles,

marl roads, the St. Johns River

ferry near Osteen and continue

to Sanford and Orlando

hard road. There is a road

from DeLand to Orange City

16 miles, and a good road from

to Lake Helen, a like distance.

The trip from Daytona to DeLand

is made by automobile in a little

over an hour, and there are

pretty drives in the vicinity of the

county site. A good road leads

to DeLand Springs, five miles, a

spot, where 500,000 gallons

bubble from the earth every

From DeLand automobile

to Osteen, 16 miles,

marl roads, the St. Johns River

ferry near Osteen and continue

to Sanford and Orlando

hard road. There is a road

from DeLand to Orange City

16 miles, and a good road from

to Lake Helen, a like distance.

The trip from Daytona to DeLand

is made by automobile in a little

over an hour, and there are

pretty drives in the vicinity of the

county site. A good road leads

to DeLand Springs, five miles, a

spot, where 500,000 gallons

bubble from the earth every

From DeLand automobile

to Osteen, 16 miles,

marl roads, the St. Johns River

ferry near Osteen and continue

to Sanford and Orlando

hard road. There is a road

from DeLand to Orange City

16 miles, and a good road from

to Lake Helen, a like distance.

The trip from Daytona to DeLand

is made by automobile in a little

over an hour, and there are

pretty drives in the vicinity of the

county site. A good road leads

to DeLand Springs, five miles, a

spot, where 500,000 gallons

bubble from the earth every

From DeLand automobile

to Osteen, 16 miles,

marl roads, the St. Johns River

ferry near Osteen and continue

to Sanford and Orlando

hard road. There is a road

from DeLand

GOV. AN OFFICIAL DECLARING NORTH THAT
WOMEN ARE A GRAVE THREAT TO THE PUBLIC.

Dec. 17.—The Berlin police chief, Herr von Jagow, has issued a campaign against women who bear new babies. He promulgates an decree today setting forth that babies of this description constitute a "grave peril" to the public, especially in tramway cars. Herr von Jagow calls upon the women of Berlin either to confine themselves to caps which do not protrude beyond the brim of their hats, or at least to wear guards on the ends of long pins.

"I venture to express the hope," concludes Herr von Jagow, "that it will only require this hint on my part to do away with this mischievous and dangerous habit, and that it will not be necessary for me to resort to other police measures to eradicate it." The Lokal Anzeiger remarks that the modern woman is unlikely to tolerate any dictation affecting her wearing apparel even from so mighty an authority as Herr von Jagow.

**SNOW BURIES CANNONS;
TROOPS ABANDON GUNS**

GENEVA, Dec. 17.—A battery of artillery from Fort Savatan above the Rhone valley, had a remarkable adventure during the Alpine manoeuvres. The troops were caught in a violent snowstorm, obliged to abandon four mountain guns at an altitude of 2,500 feet, and to descend hastily to shelter huts at Riadal, where they were imprisoned for two days.

On their return they were unable to locate the guns, which were hidden in the deep snow, and must remain there until spring.

© American Press Association.

The annual meeting of the house of governors threatens to become serious in its results. The meetings are not going to be all talk if the governors have their way. They want some real results. At the meeting held in Frankfort and Louisville, Ky., many reform measures were advocated by the score and more governors who attended the five days' sessions. Governor Harmon of Ohio voiced the sentiment of the meeting when he declared that much good will result from the annual meetings if the governors do not grow impatient and expect the public to accept reforms in a night. New Jersey promised to entertain the governors at their next meeting. The question of electing senators by popular vote and the arranging of a universal divorce law are but two of the many points that the governors have discussed and will continue to discuss. Each governor is expected to report the sentiment of his own state in favor of any popular reform.

A Labor of Love.

"The late Senator Wilkinson Call," said a Jacksonville lawyer, "believed in early marriages and in the habits of industry, sobriety and economy that such marriages induce."

"I once heard him say in an address to the youth of Jacksonville:

"It is true, and we should be glad it is true, that many a young man has been sentenced to hard labor for life simply for kissing a pretty girl."

The Two Versions.

The editor was trying to placate an indignant statesman.

"All we said about you in the paper, Mr. Krakajak," he assured him, "was that you seemed to have an inadequate sense of proportion."

"Not by a blamed sight!" roared the caller. "What you said about me was that I seemed to have an inadequate proportion of sense!"—Chicago Tribune.

Napkins.

Napkins became popular in France sooner than in England. At one time it was customary at great French dinners to change the napkins at every course, to perfume them with rosewater and to have them folded a different way for each guest.

Plato Vindicated.

"The author of genius," said William Dean Howells, "expresses the thoughts of his time. He speaks out those things that his generation has all along been thinking, but thinking silently and perhaps a little mistily."

"An author of transcendent genius speaks the thought of all time. For example, one summer at Sunapee I lent a volume of Plato to a lean, shrewd farmer. When the volume was returned I said:

"Well, how did you like Plato?"

"First rate," the farmer answered. "I see he's got some of my ideas."

Grunt-who-will Tower.

Anne, the duchess in wooden shoes, who brought Brittany in the pocket of her wedding gown to her husband, the King of France, kept the government for herself, and when the bishop of St. Malo protested against the stronghold which she built to cow the too independent Maloos she carved on her tower the irreverent inscription, which may still be read there, "Grunt who will, so shall it be; 'tis my pleasure," and the tower "Grunt Who Will" (Quicquen Grogue) it remains to this day.

GROWERS AND SHIPERS

Office Next to the Ridgewood

McDonald's Boat

Established 1893

CHAS. M. McDONALD, Prop.

Railways, Barge, Bait, Fresh

and Frozen.

Market on South Beach Street

Phone 5 Prompt Delivery

GITTENS & MESSING

(Successors to E. G. Longy & Co.)

Fresh Fish

Clams

and Rose Bay Oysters

Market on South Beach Street

Phone 5 Prompt Delivery

R. H. McDONALD

MEATS

Florida and Western

The Choicest Steaks and
The Prime Roasts

Telephone us what you want and we
will endeavor to see that you get it.

Phone 2

Fresh Dressed Turkeys,
Ducks and Geese for Xmas.

The earlier you leave your order the
better chance you have of getting the
choicest.

The Joseph Zapf Co.

JACKSONVILLE, FLA.

Is justly called the largest and most reliable liquor house in Florida. Sole distributors for

Anheuser-Bush Celebrated Beer

Special attention is called to the
MAIL ORDER DEPARTMENT.

Price lists will be cheerfully furnished.

TRY US FOR CHRISTMAS GIFTS



Very appropriate as a gift to wife, mother or daughter. The "Caloric" Fireless Cooker Roasts, Bakes, Stews and Boils. The cost from \$10.00 up



Another Christmas suggestion that we offer is a Quarter Golden Oak Dining Room Suite. We have them at all prices ranging from \$50.00 to \$175.00

FOR FATHER.
One of our New Library Tables will be very appropriate.

WHY not give Xmas presents that will be a continual reminder, and will last for years of useful service?

Furniture makes the best Xmas present: Buy it this year and they have it next.

Our big store is simply packed, upstairs and down, with artistic, useful and substantial things for the home. Any one will make a present for any member of the family and be enjoyed by all.

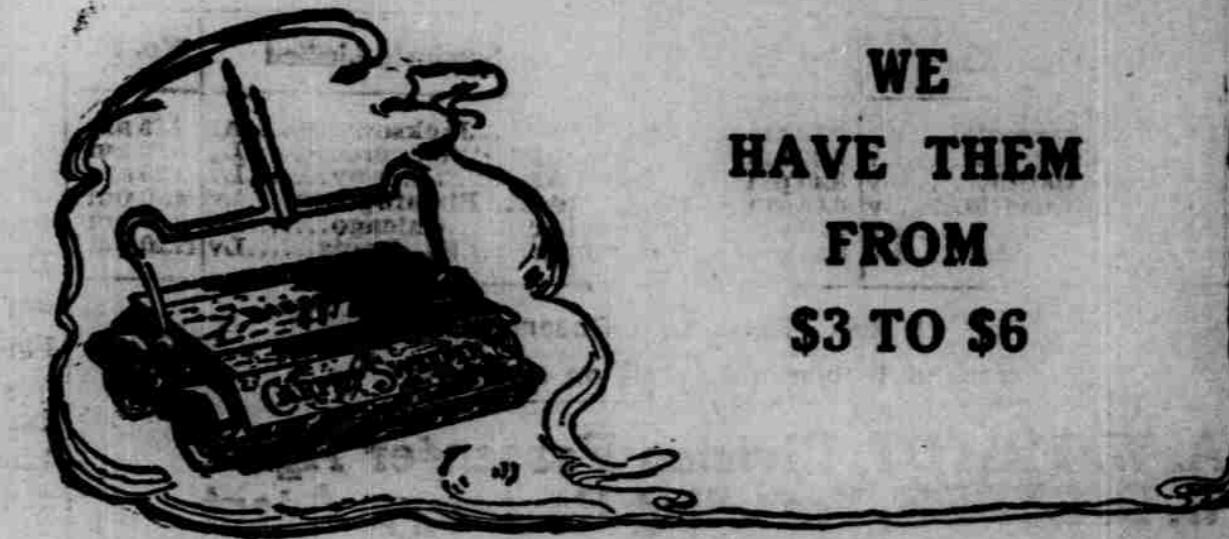
FOR THE LITTLE GIRL.
A shipment of Doll Go-Carts in the latest styles—rubber-tired and collapsible arrived yesterday. They'll please the little girl and the prices will please you.



Beautiful in design, elegant in finish, and the greatest labor-saving article of the home. What could be more appropriate or more sure to please?

It will be a daily reminder of the giver for ten years or more, and will contribute more genuine comfort, convenience and pleasure than any other gift at double the

cost. Lessens the work of sweeping 95%, preserves carpets, rugs, curtains, draperies and furniture, and makes sweeping a pleasure instead of a drudgery. Drop in and see our new stock of assorted patterns. Prices to suit.



WE
HAVE THEM
FROM
\$3 TO \$6

Bingham & Maley Co. Household Furniture House



Fashion's Fancies, Plain or Elaborate in Classy FURNISHINGS

That will make his Christmas one grand song.

Fine Shirts, Night Robes, Pajamas, Ossy Hose, Neckwear, Suspenders, Sweater Coats, Fancy Vests, Hats, Caps, Slippers, Shoes, Umbrellas, Rain Coats

and many other gift things in Men's Toggery that pleases him the year round, all at popular prices.

ANTHONY'S

Toast Your Bread in 2 Minutes

Hotpoint

ELECTRIC TOASTERS AND IRONS

Acceptable
Xmas Presents
For Your Wife.

J. B. GARRISON, The Electrician. Phone 71

BOND LUMBER COMPANY

Manufacturers of

ROUGH and DRESSED CYPRESS LUMBER

Laths, Shingles, Flooring, Ceiling, Brick, Lime and Cement in Stock

Office and Yards: East Coast Railway and Orange Ave.

'Phone 83. R. J. MALBY, Manager.

ATLANTIC COAST LINE.

Best Service to the East

Palmetto Limited.

DAILY. Carrying through Coaches, Electric-Lighted Pullman Drawing Room Sleepers, Dining Cars. Jacksonville to New York.

Florida and West Indian Limited.

DAILY. Carrying Through Coaches, Electric-Lighted Pullman Drawing Room Sleepers, Dining Cars. Jacksonville to New York.

Coast Line Florida Mail.

DAILY. Carrying Through Coaches and Electric-Lighted Drawing Room Sleeping Cars. Jacksonville to New York.

Stops at Meal Stations.

Local Sleeper Jacksonville to Savannah.

Best Trains to the West.

No. 32.	South Atlantic Limited	No. 33.	Nos. 32 and 58	Montgomery Route	Nos. 37 and 59
8:15 pm	Lv. Jacksonville	Ar. Atlanta	8:45 pm	Leave Jacksonville	7:30 a.m.
8:20 pm	Ar. Jacksonville	Lv. Atlanta	8:55 pm	Arrive Savannah	11:55 a.m.
8:40 pm	Ar. Louisville	Lv. 8:00 am	8:50 am	Augusta	6:50 p.m.
8:45 pm	Ar. Indianapolis	Lv. 4:30 pm	4:27 pm	Charleston	4:27 p.m.
7:10 am	Ar. Cincinnati	Lv. 9:00 am	12:10 pm	Richmond	4:30 a.m.
	Ar. Chicago	Lv. 9:50 pm	7:49 pm	Baltimore	8:40 a.m.
			7:49 pm	Washington	8:45 a.m.
			7:49 pm	Baltimore	10:22 a.m.
			7:49 pm	W. Philadelphia	12:28 p.m.
			7:49 pm	New York	1:50 p.m.
			Leave Jacksonville	9:15 a.m.	
			Arrive Savannah	10:25 pm	
			" Augusta	6:50 a.m.	
			" Charleston	5:46 p.m.	
			" Richmond	5:10 a.m.	
			" Washington	8:40 a.m.	
			" Baltimore	8:45 a.m.	
			" W. Philadelphia	10:22 a.m.	
			" New York	12:28 p.m.	
			Leave Jacksonville	7:55 a.m.	
			Arrive Savannah	12:05 p.m.	
			" Augusta	6:50 a.m.	
			" Charleston	5:46 p.m.	
			" Richmond	5:10 a.m.	
			" Washington	8:40 a.m.	
			" Baltimore	8:45 a.m.	
			" W. Philadelphia	10:22 a.m.	
			" New York	12:28 p.m.	
			Leave Jacksonville	7:55 a.m.	
			Arrive Savannah	12:05 p.m.	
			" Augusta	6:50 a.m.	
			" Charleston	5:46 p.m.	
			" Richmond	5:10 a.m.	
			" Washington	8:40 a.m.	
			" Baltimore	8:45 a.m.	
			" W. Philadelphia	10:22 a.m.	
			" New York	12:28 p.m.	
			Leave Jacksonville	7:55 a.m.	
			Arrive Savannah	12:05 p.m.	
			" Augusta	6:50 a.m.	
			" Charleston	5:46 p.m.	
			" Richmond	5:10 a.m.	
			" Washington	8:40 a.m.	
			" Baltimore	8:45 a.m.	
			" W. Philadelphia	10:22 a.m.	
			" New York	12:28 p.m.	
			Leave Jacksonville	7:55 a.m.	
			Arrive Savannah	12:05 p.m.	
			" Augusta	6:50 a.m.	
			" Charleston	5:46 p.m.	
			" Richmond	5:10 a.m.	
			" Washington	8:40 a.m.	
			" Baltimore	8:45 a.m.	
			" W. Philadelphia	10:22 a.m.	
			" New York	12:28 p.m.	
			Leave Jacksonville	7:55 a.m.	
			Arrive Savannah	12:05 p.m.	
			" Augusta	6:50 a.m.	
			" Charleston	5:46 p.m.	
			" Richmond	5:10 a.m.	
			" Washington	8:40 a.m.	
			" Baltimore	8:45 a.m.	
			" W. Philadelphia	10:22 a.m.	
			" New York	12:28 p.m.	
			Leave Jacksonville	7:55 a.m.	
			Arrive Savannah	12:05 p.m.	
			" Augusta	6:50 a.m.	
			" Charleston	5:46 p.m.	
			" Richmond	5:10 a.m.	
			" Washington	8:40 a.m.	
			" Baltimore	8:45 a.m.	
			" W. Philadelphia	10:22 a.m.	
			" New York	12:28 p.m.	
			Leave Jacksonville	7:55 a.m.	
			Arrive Savannah	12:05 p.m.	
			" Augusta	6:50 a.m.	
			" Charleston	5:46 p.m.	
			" Richmond	5:10 a.m.	
			" Washington	8:40 a.m.	
			" Baltimore	8:45 a.m.	
			" W. Philadelphia	10:22 a.m.	
			" New York	12:28 p.m.	
			Leave Jacksonville	7:55 a.m.	
			Arrive Savannah	12:05 p.m.	
			" Augusta	6:50 a.m.	
			" Charleston	5:46 p.m.	
			" Richmond	5:10 a.m.	
			" Washington	8:40 a.m.	
			" Baltimore	8:45 a.m.	
			" W. Philadelphia	10:22 a.m.	
			" New York	12:28 p.m.	
			Leave Jacksonville	7:55 a.m.	
			Arrive Savannah	12:05 p.m.	
			" Augusta	6:50 a.m.	
			" Charleston	5:46 p.m.	
			" Richmond	5:10 a.m.	
			" Washington	8:40 a.m.	
			" Baltimore	8:45 a.m.	
			" W. Philadelphia	10:22 a.m.	
			" New York	12:28 p.m.	
			Leave Jacksonville	7:55 a.m.	
			Arrive Savannah	12:05 p.m.	
			" Augusta	6:50 a.m.	
			" Charleston	5:46 p.m.	
			" Richmond	5:10 a.m.	
			" Washington	8:40 a.m.	
			" Baltimore	8:45 a.m.	
			" W. Philadelphia	10:22 a.m.	
			" New York	12:28 p.m.	
			Leave Jacksonville	7:55 a.m.	
			Arrive Savannah	12:05 p.m.	
			" Augusta	6:50 a.m.	
			" Charleston	5:46 p.m.	
			" Richmond	5:10 a.m.	
			" Washington	8:40 a.m.	
			" Baltimore	8:45 a.m.	
			" W. Philadelphia	10:22 a.m.	
			" New York	12:28 p.m.	
			Leave Jacksonville	7:55 a.m.	
			Arrive Savannah	12:05 p.m.	
			" Augusta	6:50 a.m.	
			" Charleston	5:46 p.m.	
			" Richmond	5:10 a.m.	
			" Washington	8:40 a.m.	
			" Baltimore	8:45 a.m.	
			" W. Philadelphia	10:22 a.m.	
			" New York	12:28 p.m.	
			Leave Jacksonville	7:55 a.m.	
			Arrive Savannah	12:05 p.m.	
			" Augusta	6:50 a.m.	
			" Charleston	5:46 p.m.	
			" Richmond	5:10 a.m.	
			" Washington	8:40 a.m.	
			" Baltimore	8:45 a.m.	
			" W. Philadelphia	10:22 a.m.	
			" New York	12:28 p.m.	
			Leave Jacksonville	7:55 a.m.	
			Arrive Savannah	12:05 p.m.	
			" Augusta	6:50 a.m.	
			" Charleston	5:46 p.m.	
			" Richmond	5:10 a.m.	
			" Washington	8:40 a.m.	
			" Baltimore	8:45 a.m.	
			" W. Philadelphia	10:22 a.m.	
			" New York	12:28 p.m.	
			Leave Jacksonville	7:55 a.m.	
			Arrive Savannah	12:05 p	

<p>THE REAL ESTATE GAL</p>	<p>W. H. BROWN Real Estate Broker 1000 Main Street Phone 2-1111</p>	<p>W. H. BROWN Real Estate Broker 1000 Main Street Phone 2-1111</p>
<p>W. H. BROWN Real Estate Broker</p>	<p>1000 Main Street Phone 2-1111</p>	<p>1000 Main Street Phone 2-1111</p>
<p>W. H. BROWN Real Estate Broker</p>	<p>1000 Main Street Phone 2-1111</p>	<p>1000 Main Street Phone 2-1111</p>
<p>W. H. BROWN Real Estate Broker</p>	<p>1000 Main Street Phone 2-1111</p>	<p>1000 Main Street Phone 2-1111</p>
<p>W. H. BROWN Real Estate Broker</p>	<p>1000 Main Street Phone 2-1111</p>	<p>1000 Main Street Phone 2-1111</p>
<p>W. H. BROWN Real Estate Broker</p>	<p>1000 Main Street Phone 2-1111</p>	<p>1000 Main Street Phone 2-1111</p>
<p>W. H. BROWN Real Estate Broker</p>	<p>1000 Main Street Phone 2-1111</p>	<p>1000 Main Street Phone 2-1111</p>
<p>W. H. BROWN Real Estate Broker</p>	<p>1000 Main Street Phone 2-1111</p>	<p>1000 Main Street Phone 2-1111</p>
<p>W. H. BROWN Real Estate Broker</p>	<p>1000 Main Street Phone 2-1111</p>	<p>1000 Main Street Phone 2-1111</p>

Fine Job Printing. Promptly executed at
Gazette News Office.

卷之三

IN THIS SPACE

Readers of The Daily News
Will be told about

...ALLANDALE...

and its attractiveness.

REAL
ESTATE
SALES
COMPANY
Phone 337

WOMAN
INVESTMENT
COMPANY
Desirable
Locations in
any part of
Business
Gainesville,
Inman, and
Matthews, Florida

L. Z. BRONCK
CONTRACTOR
on BUILDING
Contractor
All Work
Matthews,
Matthews, Florida

V. C. GRANT
PLUMBER
Water, Steam and
Gas Fitting
Phone 16-21
DAYTONA BEACH
FLORIDA

PINEHURST
Peninsula
Drive
Daytona Beach
Modern Conveniences
Rates Reasonable
Mrs. W. H. Freeman
Proprietor

DAYTONA BEACH TRAVEL

James P. Dalton
Proprietor
DAYTONA BEACH
Everything Usually
Carried in a First
Class Drug Store
Our Prescription
Department is Considered
in every
Respect
Phone 182

BRANCH & NICHOLSON FEED AND LIVERY STABLE

All Orders Given
Prompt Attention
Careful Drivers
Familiar with Roads

E. A. BRANCH Real Estate Agent Beach Cottages a Specialty

SELDEN'S DAYTONA BEACH Dry Goods, Shoes, Men's Correct Wear Across from The Seaside Inn

A. VANDYARD Contractor for MASON WORK of All Kinds Concrete Curbings Sidewalks, etc. DAYTONA BEACH

FITZGERALD & OATES LAWYERS Daytona, Fla.

Fine Job Printing, Promptly executed at
Gazette News Office.

IV. to build a house, situated in the city during a time of great national excitement. Of the millions of people "the very few are the English houses of parliament how many imagine that their position was determined by strategic considerations? No one nowadays can think of the palace of Westminster in any other position than that which it occupies. But when the old houses were burned down and the task of rebuilding faced there was a proposition to establish them on or near the site of St. James' palace. Wellington resolutely put down his foot on the proposal.

The site suggested, its advocates pointed out, would be better as regards centrality and convenience than any other. But to the argument of the duke there could then be no answer. "With a vast and growing population, such as yours in London," he said, "you must never make it possible that you can be surrounded. You must build your houses of parliament upon the river, so that the means of ingress and egress are safe and that the populace cannot exact their demands by sitting down around you." Sir William Fraser, in whose memoirs the story is recalled, mentioned it to Napoleon III. just before the death of the latter. "What wisdom!" he said. "What wisdom!" And it set him musing upon the different turn which the history of France might have taken if in other ways as great precautions had been observed in his own case.—*St. James' Gazette*.

SECRECY IN KRUPP'S.

Employees Bound by Oath and Nothing Left to Chance.

One of the first steps that a new employee at Krupp's (the famous gun and armor factory of Germany) has to take is to bind himself to absolute secrecy as to what he sees or hears in the firm. But, this oath notwithstanding, nothing is left to chance, for every precaution is taken to prevent the employee from knowing anything more than is required for his own immediate work. In the offices all correspondence passes in locked cases. One official forwarding such a case to another writes the name of the addressee on a slip of paper, which is inserted under a glass frame ingeniously mounted in the case. Only on opening the case with its special key can the address be removed, and it is therefore impossible for papers of importance to fall into wrong hands. In the drawing offices every scrap of paper is locked at night into fireproof

cases. In which house, however, is it to be built? This reference is naturally particularly to the man in charge of the armor plate and steel manufacturing process.—*Army and Navy Journal*.

Queer Eyes of a Queen Spider.

The atavus family of spiders, abounding in Java, have in addition to numerous smaller eyes a pair of large ones which have been called "gig lamp" eyes. A specimen of the spider captured near Buitenzorg exhibits a remarkable power of changing the color of its eyes. When taken the eyes were dark brown like the body, but suddenly they changed to bright grass green. Soon afterward they turned back from green to brown, and this change of color was repeated several times in succession, apparently at the will of the creature. Whether this action on the part of this curious species of spider is an effort to inspire terror in its enemy or whether it is an effect of its own terror is uncertain. Another singular fact is that the color of either one or both eyes could thus be changed at will.—*Harper's Weekly*.

Ancient Brains.

A primitive native of Java, the Romans and other nations, was an offering made to a god, as it was believed, drowned while swimming across and robust, he was a certain number of years old.

The Egyptians were conversant with the art of landscape gardening, though they had to contend with the flatness of the land. Water, however, as an adjunct was often called into play, for there was the inexhaustible Nile. We have three plans of their gardens, as the one found in the tomb of Meryleat Tell el Amaron, which gives us the perfect idea of how a grand garden was laid out. We have, too, pictures of Egyptians reclining on chairs and fishing in these artificial lakes.

Useless Speculation.

"I often wonder," an elderly wife said sadly one day to her husband, "whether all those vows and protestations you made me during our courtship were really true?"

"Well, my dear," the husband answered mildly, "what's the difference whether they were true or not, since we both believed them?"

The Ptarmigan.

There are few birds whose plumage is so variable as the ptarmigan's. Three times in the year its plumage changes. It has separate coats for spring, autumn and winter. At the beginning of November it puts on the last costume of the season. Its spring brown and summer gray serve well to hide it among the scanty herbage of its haunts from the keen eye of the soaring falcon.

in hold a position
have to be
the man
for the distance
probably would
first find
able talent. As
is usually on the
several days ago, when
unusually low, a
his studio. The
of the picture
lay on a couch, and
"I like this," the
pointing to one of
good price which
pay. The artist left it
fully.

"A.W. don't do that," he said.
you do I'll have in place."—*Philadelphia Times*.

Ancient Brains.

A primitive native of Java, the Romans and other nations, was an offering made to a god, as it was believed, drowned while swimming across and robust, he was a certain number of years old.

The Egyptians were conversant with the art of landscape gardening, though they had to contend with the flatness of the land. Water, however, as an adjunct was often called into play, for there was the inexhaustible Nile. We have three plans of their gardens, as the one found in the tomb of Meryleat Tell el Amaron, which gives us the perfect idea of how a grand garden was laid out. We have, too, pictures of Egyptians reclining on chairs and fishing in these artificial lakes.

Strategy.

The turkey was not a very large bird, and Mrs. Pedagog's boarders had to be a little anxious on the morning of the 24th, when the turkey was to be distributed. Finally the husband, who had been seated at his portion, observed that his bird had drawn the neck and the pop's neck.

"Ah, Mrs. Pedagog," said his wife with a general smile, "you are a wonder at making both ends meet."—*Lipstick's*

A Sure Method.

Landlord—Here, now, you needn't be afraid you will oversleep. And if the alarm clock should by any chance fail to awaken you just give the little hammer a poke with your finger, then she'll go off.—*Heiterer Welt*.

Settled Out of Court.

Maud—Are you going to prosecute that horrid Jack Dare for stealing a kiss? Ethel—No; the property has been returned.—*Boston Transcript*.

Described.

"Pa, what is meant by a dealer in futures?" "A fortune teller, my son."—*Washington Herald*.

IN THIS SPACE

Readers of The Daily News
Will be told about

...ALLANDALE...

and its attractiveness.

Cities Show Heavy Growth and Agricultural States Corresponding Decline. Many Remarkable Increases Noted.

THE United States in 1910. This includes the District of Columbia and Hawaii, and includes the Philippines, Guam, Samoa and the Panama canal zone, according to the census of 1900 and an estimate of Guam, Samoa and the canal zone, the population for the nation and its possessions is 101,100,000. The population of the United States proper, exclusive of Alaska and the island possessions, is 92,031,874.

We know how big we are. Having asked everybody about his birthplace and his wife's relations, we have cast up the totals into long and heady columns of figures that proclaim to the world our numerical greatness. It is quite a showing—over 90,000,000 people for the United States proper, and more than 100,000,000 if we include the United States improper, consisting of the little brown brother of the Philippines. I defy any human being to form even the remotest conception of what ninety millions mean, but whatever it is we have it.

It is some comfort to know that never in human history has a nation grown so rapidly. Since the republic was founded, a little more than a century ago, we have multiplied our population by thirty. On an average we have doubled our size every twenty-five years. If Senator Hoar was right in declaring that a column of figures could move an American to tears, the whole nation should fairly boo-hoo over the 1910 census.

Cities' Growth Increasing.

The one big fact that stands out of the result is that most of the growth in the last decade has been in the cities. Some of the country districts have actually gone backward. One agricultural state, Iowa, has shown a decrease. Some of the very small towns and villages have shown the same tendency. But the cities from 10,000 upward have almost all advanced, some of them enormously. In the list of the world's ten largest cities the United States has three.

We have one city exceeding 4,000,000 in population, two exceeding 2,000,000, three exceeding 1,000,000, or four if the environs of Boston were included in that city; eight exceeding 500,000, eighteen exceeding 300,000, twenty-eight exceeding 200,000, and fifty exceeding 100,000. These fifty are distributed through twenty-six states. New York, Massachusetts and Ohio each has five; Pennsylvania, California and New Jersey each contains three; Missouri, Michigan, Minnesota, Connecticut and Tennessee can boast two each, and the other fifteen range from Rhode Island to Oregon. At the head of these forty-nine cities stands, of course, New York, at the foot Albany.

Of cities between 25,000 and 100,000 there are 175, with the list yet incomplete. These are distributed through thirty-seven states. Massachusetts heads the list with twenty; Pennsylvania comes next with seventeen; New York follows with sixteen; New Jersey and Illinois have eleven each; Ohio has nine; Texas and Iowa each have eight; Michigan and Wisconsin each boasts seven; California and Connecticut each claims five; Indiana, Virginia and Rhode Island each contains four; Georgia, Kentucky, Missouri and Kansas follow with three each, while there are twelve states with two each and six with one each. Of cities below 25,000 the number is legion. In this class the returns as yet are scattering.

Smaller Cities Grow.

On the whole, the smaller cities have grown more rapidly than the larger ones. The rate of increase in those above 100,000 has been 31.8 per cent, while the showing is 39.4 per cent in those between 25,000 and 100,000. Sixteen of these smaller cities have more than doubled their population in the decade. The largest growths have been that of Oklahoma City, which has the enormous percentage of 539.7 increase to its credit. Muskogee, in the same state, is but little behind. Other cities in this group that have trebled or doubled their growth are Pasadena, Berkeley and San Diego, Cal.; Flint, Mich.; Fort Worth, El Paso and Dallas, Tex.; Tampa and Jacksonville, Fla.; Huntington, W. Va.; Schenectady, N. Y.; Tacoma, Wash.; Wichita, Kan., and Waterloo, Ia.

The largest growth in cities of over 100,000 is that of Birmingham, Ala., which increased at the rate of 243.4 per cent. Los Angeles was a close second with 211.3 per cent. Seattle had 104 per cent. Other cities in this class that more than doubled their population were Portland, Ore.; Spokane, Wash., and Oakland, Cal. Notable gains were also made by Cleveland, Detroit, Minneapolis, Denver, Atlanta and Richmond.

One most striking feature of the returns is the growth of the south, especially of southern cities. Charlotte,

Atlanta, Birmingham, and Mobile have all have 500,000, ranking as the fifth city in the country.

There are many other cities that would considerably augment their population by a little expansion. The case of San Francisco, Oakland and Berkeley has already been mentioned. Likewise Omaha and South Omaha practically constitute one city. If the two were joined together they would have 150,007 instead of the 124,006 given to Omaha now. The cities in northern New Jersey would be most affected by consolidation, however. Thus Elizabeth, the Oranges and several smaller villages contiguous to Newark would give the metropolis of New Jersey more than half a million. Bayonne, Hoboken, West Hoboken and several other towns are really a continuation of Jersey City. If these were added the total population would run a close second to the greater Newark.

State Lines Retard Totals.

All the expansions mentioned could be readily made, since the cities to be consolidated are in the same states. There are a number of cases, however, where state lines intervene. Notable among these are Kansas City, Mo., and Kansas City, Kan.; Omaha, Neb., and Council Bluffs, Ia., furnish another case in point, and so do St. Louis, Mo., and East St. Louis, Ill. Then there are Cincinnati, O., and Covington, Ky.; also Philadelphia, Pa., and Camden, N. J. Chicago would also gain enormously by adding contiguous Indiana territory.

The most conspicuous case of the

THE UNITED STATES TOTAL POPULATION COMPARATIVE SUMMARY FOR 1910, 1900 AND 1890.

States.	1910.	1900.	1890.	Number.	Increase. 1900 to 1910.	Per cent.
The United States	93,402,151	77,259,630	62,970,766	16,145,521	20.2	
Continental United States	91,972,266	75,894,575	62,947,714	15,977,691	21.2	
Alabama	2,138,093	1,828,697	1,513,401	309,396	16.9	
Arizona	204,354	122,031	88,243	81,423	66.2	
Arkansas	1,574,449	1,311,504	1,128,211	262,885	20.0	
California	2,377,549	1,485,053	1,213,398	892,496	60.3	
Colorado	739,024	539,700	413,249	250,324	48.0	
Connecticut	1,114,756	908,420	746,258	206,336	22.7	
Delaware	202,322	184,735	168,493	17,587	9.5	
District of Columbia	331,069	278,718	230,392	52,351	18.8	
Florida	752,619	528,542	391,422	224,077	42.4	
Georgia	2,609,121	2,216,331	1,837,333	392,790	17.7	
Idaho	325,594	161,772	88,548	163,822	101.3	
Illinois	5,638,591	4,821,550	3,826,352	817,041	16.9	
Indiana	2,700,874	2,516,462	2,192,404	184,414	7.3	
Iowa	224,771	223,853	1,912,297	7,082	1.3	
Kansas	1,630,949	1,470,495	1,428,108	220,454	15.0	
Kentucky	2,239,905	2,147,174	1,858,655	142,731	6.6	
Louisiana	1,656,388	1,381,625	1,118,588	274,763	19.9	
Maine	742,371	694,466	661,086	47,905	6.9	
Maryland	1,295,346	1,188,044	1,042,300	197,302	9.0	
Massachusetts	3,363,416	2,805,346	2,238,947	561,070	20.0	
Michigan	2,810,173	2,420,982	2,093,890	389,191	16.1	
Minnesota	2,075,708	1,751,304	1,310,283	324,314	18.8	
Mississippi	1,797,114	1,551,270	1,289,000	245,844	15.8	
Missouri	3,298,333	3,106,665	2,679,185	186,670	6.0	
Montana	376,053	243,321	142,924	132,724	54.5	
Nebraska	1,192,214	1,063,300	1,062,656	125,914	11.8	
Nevada	81,875	42,335	47,355	39,549	93.4	
New Hampshire	430,572	411,588	376,530	18,984	4.6	
New Jersey	2,537,167	1,883,669	1,444,933	633,498	34.7	
New Mexico	327,301	195,310	160,282	131,991	67.5	
New York	9,113,614	7,268,894	6,003,174	1,844,720	25.4	
North Carolina	2,206,287	1,838,810	1,617,949	312,447	16.5	
North Dakota	577,056	319,146	190,983	257,010	80.8	
Ohio	4,767,121	4,157,545	3,672,329	609,576	14.7	
Oklahoma	1,657,155	730,391	258,657	866,764	109.7	
Oregon	672,765	413,536	317,704	250,229	62.7	
Pennsylvania	7,065,111	6,302,115	5,258,113	1,362,996	21.6	
Rhode Island	542,610	428,556	345,506	114,054	26.6	
South Carolina	1,515,400	1,340,316	1,151,149	175,054	13.1	
South Dakota	583,888	401,570	348,600	182,318	45.4	
Tennessee	2,184,789	2,020,616	1,767,518	164,173	8.1	
Texas	3,866,543	3,048,710	2,235,527	847,832	27.8	
Utah	373,351	270,749	210,779	66,602	34.9	
Vermont	355,056	343,641	322,422	12,315	3.6	
Virginia	2,061,612	1,854,184	1,655,989	207,428	11.2	
Washington	1,141,930	518,103	357,232	623,887	120.4	
West Virginia	1,221,119	958,800	762,794	262,319	27.4	
Wisconsin	2,333,800	2,069,042	1,693,330	264,818	12.7	
Wyoming	145,965	92,531	62,553	53,434	57.7	
Alaska	64,356	63,592	32,052	764	1.2	
Hawaii	191,900	154,001	37,908	24.6	
Military and naval	55,608	91,219	
Porto Rico	1,118,012	\$93,243	

*The figures for 1890 given in the preliminary state announcements did not include the Indians specially enumerated.

†Includes 953,243 persons in Porto Rico (1890 census).

‡Decrease.

§According to the census of Porto Rico, taken in 1899 under the direction of the war department.

Taking the cities of Los Angeles, Oakland, Berkeley, Sacramento, San Diego, San Jose and Pasadena, they show an aggregate increase from 260,252 in 1900 to 653,317 in 1910, or 151 per cent. If San Francisco had enjoyed a like growth she would have had in 1910 a total of 860,383.

While it is too much to claim that for her calamity she might have reached this result, since a large city is not apt to show as great a percentage of increase as a small one under similar conditions, it is entirely within bounds to say that the city beside the Golden Gate would have gone up to a half million or 600,000 but for her disaster. The more force is lent to this contention by the fact that some of the increase in other California cities is due to the fugitives from San Francisco.

Boston's Suburbs Separate.

The Bostonians claim that the census figures represent only a part of the population of their city, since Boston actually includes Cambridge and a number of other cities that are returned separately. If there were a greater Boston, as there is a greater New York, her population would be 1,206,791 instead of the 670,585 now returned.

In like manner the Twin Cities in

sort, however, is that of New York and the cluster of cities and villages in northern New Jersey. For twenty or thirty miles, or even more, men commute daily from New Jersey into New York. In business interests and in all other ways, except that of residence, they are as much New Yorkers as those living on Manhattan Island. All north Jersey is practically becoming one solid city, made up for the most part of commuters. The tunnels under the Hudson river are rapidly adding to this class. It is a conservative claim that there are at least 1,000,000 of these Jerseyites who really belong to the great city, and some estimates have put the number considerably higher.

Within the fifteen mile radius of New York are to be found ten New Jersey cities of more than 25,000 inhabitants each, Jersey City, Newark, Paterson, Bayonne, East Orange, Elizabeth, Hoboken, Orange, Passaic and West Hoboken having a combined population of 1,094,303. Within the same radius are a vast number of smaller cities and villages, such as the other Oranges, the Montclair, Hackensack, Bloomfield, Plainfield, Englewood, Rutherford, Arlington, Nutley and many more with a population that would swell this total to probably 8,000,000. Of course all these are not

1. New York.	25. Arkansas.

<tbl_r cells="2" ix="5" maxcspan="1" max

of JEWELRY, NOV-
ELTINS, BROOCHES,
CUFF LINKS, SASH PINS, HAT PINS, ETC.
to select a present from and it will pay YOU
to buy them of us. Our assortment is very
complete this season and we will be pleased
to show the line.

The Peck-Hendricks Company.



Amusements

NEW DAYTONA THEATRE

Reserve Your Seats For
LYCEUM COURSE
At HANKINS'

First Lyceum Number
Germaine, The Wizard

Friday, December 23rd

SEASON TICKET FOR SIX COURSES \$2.50

Watch for Next Vaudeville Date

The People's State Bank DAYTONA, FLORIDA

Its shareholders are all home people. Their interests and yours are mutual. The bank's profits remain right here in the community for the upbuilding of our city and county.

President—S. P. LELAND.

Vice-Presidents (G. B. SEAMAN.

M. L. WAGGONER.)

Cashier—M. E. CARTER.

Depository of State of Florida.



*Christmas cigars at Vet Cave's.

10-Jan 1

St. Mary's Church—Service and sermon, 11:00 a. m.; Sunday school, 9:45; music by male vested choir.

**Position wanted as stenographer by Mrs. Mattie Johnston, City. 13-3

J. W. Stanford, Jr., who represents the building material department of the Baker & Holmes company of Jacksonville, was in Daytona on business.

*FOR RENT — The handsome hand residence at Silver Beach, opposite Daytona; fully furnished. BINGHAM & THOMPSON, Agents. s & w-f

Mrs. Katherine Frink arrived Friday night from St. Louis, Mo., to spend a part of the season with Colonel and Mrs. W. M. Shaffner at Bice-a-Wee cottage on the beach. Mrs. Frink and Mrs. Shaffner are sisters.

Three souvenirs were distributed at the Crystal theater Thursday night. The first, a fine cut glass pitcher, given by the management, was received by Mrs. F. M. Terrill; the second, a cut glass bell, given by L. H. Rowe & Co., fell to Walter Kreitzberg and the third souvenir, two handsome bottles of an exquisite perfume, presented by M. B. Church, the druggist, was carried away by Albert Winn.

*Cook wanted. Apply Troy House.

8-tf

Mrs. M. B. Aultman went to Jacksonville yesterday afternoon to visit friends in that city until today.

**WANTED—Position as chambermaid or care of children by experienced wife woman. Inquire at Daily News office. 13-3t

Geo. E. Sebring went to Jacksonville Wednesday morning, accompanied by George Gwin, who is with him for the winter. Mr. Gwin returned Thursday night and Mr. Sebring will return Sunday with his daughter, Miss Ethel, who will spend the Christmas holidays at home.

Judge Wm. S. McLean and his son, Geo. R. McLean, of Wilkes Barre, Pa., who are guests at Schmidt's Hotel, made an automobile trip to DeLand today to visit Dr. Lincoln Hulley and see the county seat. Judge McLean and his son are partners and prominent attorneys of Wilkes Barre.

*FOR SALE—New 1911 Model fast 40 horsepower touring car, equipped with top, windshield, speedometer, tire holder, all ready for road; 20 per cent. discount for cash and might consider good first mortgage on improved property. Address A. S. Paine, Daytona. 10-tf

SHEPPARD'S BEACON

you would come to us for them. We have the best and will sell to you for less, etc., Smoked Bacon, 25c. Barrington Hall Coffee is the best. We have it, 35c.

SHEPPARD'S GROCERY

At foot of central Bridge

WE also have fresh fruit, your Lamps and Umbrellas, Shirts, your Hats and other Toos, almost anything that is wanted. In fact, for any want call on us.

BARNES
THE NOVELTY MAN
10 South Beach Street, Daytona. An order for 25 cents on this store awaits Mrs. Marcus Rogers at the Daily News office.

Crystal Theatre

MOTION PICTURES

Showing New Releases Daily

SEE THE BIG SHOW
TO-NIGHT

Don't Forget The Matinee
Saturday Afternoon

DICKINSON NOT TO REPLY TO DEMAND OF THE HOUSE.

INFORMS MEMBERS PUBLIC INTERESTS FORBID FURTHER PUBLICITY ON QUESTION OF DEFENSES.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 17.—Secretary of War Dickinson today sent a letter to the house of representatives informing the members that he would make no reply to the McLachlan resolution because the public interests at this time forbid further publicity on the question of our national defenses.

The administration is making every possible effort to hold down the lid on the war scare which has followed the recent report by Dickinson.

HAD SKULL FRACTURED BY BLOW WITH SCANTLING.

A Midway negro by the name of Isaak Nesby, in the employ of B. J. Pacetti, went to Dr. G. A. Klock yesterday to be patched up after a fracas with some other negro the preceding night. He had been struck over the head with a piece of scantling and appeared to be suffering from a fracture at the base of the skull. He refused to lodge a complaint against his assailant.

A SURPRISED PARTY AT MRS. L. HOBBS' ART STORE.

A Daily News representative, while passing Mrs. L. Hobbs' art store on Magnolia avenue yesterday afternoon, heard such a chorus of feminine shrieks and laughter that he concluded a celebration of the completion of the new building was in progress and headed for the entrance with the idea of a write-up in mind.

On opening the door, the scene presented conveyed the impression that a little, harmless mouse had just crossed the floor, but later he discovered that it was merely a burst of youthful spirit and display of agile grace upon the part of a group of Mrs. Hobbs' usually sedate patrons.

The surprise it may be said was with the Daily News man as well as with the ladies. Unfortunately his entrance put a damper on the gaiety prevailing.

WE WANT YOU

to know that we are the exclusive selling agents in this vicinity for

Saturday Candy

29c.

per pound only on Saturday at

Young's Pharmacy

OUR WHOLE TIME
DEVOTED TO

Bicycles

With a complete stock of parts we can do all kinds of repairing and maintenance.

GRAHAM TRAILER

Opposite the Yacht Club.

FAMOUS PICTURE FOUND MISSING FOR 100 YEARS

VIENNA, Dec. 17.—A remarkable accident discovery among some pictures at Schwarzen, the collection of the Duke of Parma, of a portrait by Valazquez, which had been missing for 160 years, is published in the Wiener Journal. The picture is said to be an equestrian portrait of Philip IV. of Spain, painted in 1635.

According to the Journal the picture has already been sold to an English firm of art dealers for \$400,000. No confirmation of the report is as yet forthcoming in Vienna. The Duke of Parma is known to have a valuable collection of old portraits, heirlooms of the Bourbons.

PLEASANT BIRTHDAY SURPRISE PARTY FRIDAY EVENING

A pleasant surprise was tendered Theodore Tice last night at his home on West Magnolia avenue, in celebration of the anniversary of his birth.

Mr. Tice was kept at home by a neighbor, E. M. Wilson, until the members of the party, some twenty or more in number, made their appearance at about half past eight o'clock.

The evening was spent pleasantly with music and games, among the latter "Magic Music," being much enjoyed. Violin solos by Miss Carrie Chaffer, with piano accompaniment by Mrs. C. V. Gailor, added to the enjoyment of the occasion. Refreshments were served during the evening.

JUDGE STEWART IN TILT WITH DEPUTY SHERIFF.

An altercation took place Monday afternoon in front of the office of Landis & Fish at DeLand, says the DeLand Supplement, in which the principals were Judge Isaac A. Stewart and Deputy Sheriff E. T. Gross. The two had met some time before in the postoffice, where, it is said, they had had some words over a matter involving \$50, which Gross claimed Stewart owed him. Judge Stewart walked from the postoffice to a place in front of the Landis & Fish office, where he became engaged in conversation with Judge Bert Fish. Shortly afterward Mr. Gross came from the postoffice and walked over to where the two were standing and during another argument he poked Judge Stewart in the face.

Keeping It in the Family.
Teacher—Why, Jennie, what's this?
Why is your hair cut off? Jennie—
Mother's going to wear puffs.—Puck.

Automobiles.

Five Michigan towns turn out three-fourths of this country's automobile product.

M. Bordelai, a French manufacturer, has designed a special automobile for invalids and convalescents. The machine looks like a bathtub on wheels. Consul General Philip G. Hanna of Monterey writes that, while three years ago automobiles were hardly known in that city, today thirty-two cars appear on the city register, 90 per cent of which are American made.

Business is Business.
Drummer—And so our friend your husband is gone! He dealt with me for twenty years. Weeping Widow—Yes, and if you had come a fortnight earlier you would have found him still among the living. Drummer—Do you think he left any order for me? Fliegende Blätter.

Let us never forget that the cultivation of the earth is the most important labor of man.—Daniel Webster.

On account
of Delay
arrangements
fixtures the
opening of
our new
place has
been delayed.
" " "

Daytona Cold Storage Company

R. D. JOHNSON
Manager



A Stroke of Luck

is just what you will say
when you come in here to make your
map selections. We can fit
with clothes or shoes and our
edge and experience enables
be of service to you in buying

THE FOSTER